

PATENT  
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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

APPLICANT: Holger Monch

EXAMINER: Thuy V. Tran

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FOR: OPERATION OF A DISCHARGE LAMP

**RESPONSE TO A NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION DATED MARCH 22, 2007**

Mail Stop **Non-Fee Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

In response to a Non-Final Office Action dated March 22, 2007, please amend the above referenced application as follows and please reconsider the application in light of the following remarks.